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 MICROPHONE SYSTEM FOR A COMMUNICATION DEVICE

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

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Sir

This communication is responsive to the Office Action mailed June 5, 2006, concerning the above-identified application. Applicant submits the following Amendment and Remarks and respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider the rejections made in the Action and to allow the claims to issue. A Petition for Extension of Time to respond, with fee authorization, is submitted concurrently herewith.

Please amend the application as follows:

Election/Restrictions:

Applicants affirm the election of Group 1, claims 1-10. Claims 11-15 have been withdrawn.

Amendments to the Specification are reflected on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.